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Applicant: Ib Mendel-Hartvig et al : Paper No.:
Serial No.: 09/582,808 : Group Art Unit: 1641
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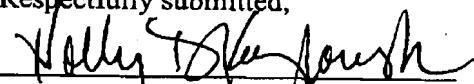
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Submitted herewith is the completed Notice of Hearing Confirmation confirming the undersigned's attendance at the oral hearing on December 18, 2007. As the undersigned is traveling from out of town, later scheduling on the hearing docket, if possible, would be appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,


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Appeal No: 2007-4450
Appellant: Ib Mendel-Hartvig et al.
Application No: 09/582,808
Hearing Room: A
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Hearing Date: Tuesday, December 18, 2007
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